

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Michio HORIUCHI, et al.

Serial No. 10/687,599

Group Art Unit: 1746

Confirmation No. 2549

Filed: October 20, 2003

Examiner:

For: FUEL CELL STRUCTURE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed August 14, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on November 14, 2006. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 14, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.